

REMARKS

There remains pending in this application claims 15-35. No claims have been added or cancelled.

This is a response to an Action under *Ex Parte Quayle*. Applicants respectfully submit that all of the matters cited in the outstanding Official Action have been addressed and that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Applicants have amended Figure 1 to label it as --Prior Art--. Applicants have also made further amendments to the drawings and, where appropriate, the specification, to address the informalities cited in the drawings. Applicants respectfully submit that those informalities have each been addressed and the objections to the drawings should now be withdrawn.

Accordingly, Applicants submit herewith replacement sheets for Figures 1, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6, 9, 12, 15A-15C, 20, 21, and 23. Acceptance of these replacement sheets and placement thereof in the file in lieu of the originals is respectfully sought.

Applicants have also amended the title so that it is more clearly descriptive of the claimed invention and have made the amendments to the specification sought by the Examiner. In view of those amendments, withdrawal of the objections to the specification and title are respectfully sought.

Applicants respectfully submit that this application has been placed in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and early passage to issue are respectfully sought.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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